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# THE HICKMAN COURIER.

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LIKES NOW LIVING  
Fulton county will  
see that we print  
the local news. This  
other paper in this  
town of Kentucky!

Advertising is the Team that Pulls the Commercial Wagon up the Hill of Success. The Courier has a Spankin' Good Team. Grease the Axles of Your Wagon, Old Man, and Let's Hitch Up.

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## LION'S SHARE OF SALARY ADVANCE

CLE SAM RAISES PAY OF THE  
HUSTLING POST-  
MASTERS.

### BY IN KENTUCKY DISTRICTS

Ohio Leads with 183 Increases, West  
Virginia 42 Increases, and Ken-  
tucky 28 Increases.

Washington.—The postoffice depart-  
ment announced its annual readjust-  
ment of salaries of postmasters and  
clerks reflect a prosperous condi-  
tion throughout the country, since in-  
crease in compensation for this class  
is based upon the volume of busi-  
ness transacted. The total ad-  
justment becomes effective July 1, is  
as follows: Ohio valley states will receive  
an increase of 10 per cent, and their  
postmasters in that region will  
receive, while only 23 will be re-  
duced as a consequence of a diminution  
of business during the fiscal year.  
Ohio leads with 183 increases and is  
up with eight decreases; Indiana 75  
increases and six decreases; West Vir-  
ginia has 42 increases and three de-  
creases, and Kentucky 28 increases and  
six decreases. The following are part of the readjust-

ments: Kentucky—Berea, \$1,700 to \$1,900;  
Cincinnati, \$2,000 to \$2,200;  
Covington, \$1,600 to \$1,800; Camp-  
bell, \$1,500 to \$1,700; Catletts-  
burg, \$1,500 to \$1,700; Clinton, \$1,500  
to \$1,700; Clarksville, \$1,200 to \$1,300;  
Frankfort, \$1,300 to \$1,400; Frankfort,  
\$2,900; Frankfort, \$1,700 to  
\$1,900; Glasgow, \$2,000 to \$2,100;  
Greenville, \$1,900 to \$2,000; Har-  
dinsburg, \$1,200 to \$1,300;  
Hickman, \$1,700 to \$1,900; Hop-  
kinsville, \$2,500 to \$2,600; Horse Cave,  
\$1,500 to \$1,600; Lanesburg, \$1,300 to  
\$1,400; Lancaster, \$1,500 to \$1,600;  
Lexington, \$1,800 to \$1,900; Lex-  
ington, \$2,300 to \$2,400; Marietta,  
\$2,200 to \$2,300; Middletown, \$2,200  
to \$2,300; Millersburg, \$1,300 to  
\$1,400; Nicholasville, \$1,700 to \$1,800;  
Owensboro, \$3,000 to \$3,100; Owensboro,  
\$1,600 to \$1,700; Paducah, \$3,200 to  
\$3,300; Paintsville, \$1,300 to \$1,400;  
Patterson, \$1,800 to \$1,900; Richmond,  
\$2,400 to \$2,500; Scottsville, \$1,300 to  
\$1,400; Smith's Grove, \$1,300 to  
\$1,400; Taylorville, \$1,600 to \$1,700;  
Tennessee, \$2,400 to \$2,500.  
Tennessee—Hardwell, \$1,600 to \$1,700;  
London, \$1,700 to \$1,800; May-  
field, \$2,400 to \$2,500; Midway, \$1,400  
to \$1,500; Newport, \$2,300 to \$2,400;  
Newport, \$1,300 to \$1,400.

### KNEELING IN PEW.

Little Alma Kellner Was Seen by a  
Louisville Woman on Day  
She Met Death.

Lex., Ky.—Alma Kellner reach-  
ed her church on the morning  
after 8 just as mass was clos-  
ing. Kneeling in her pew she said  
she was over as she was to fall vic-  
tim.  
Elizabeth Dolle saw the child  
in the aisle, take a seat in a  
pew in the middle of the church,  
and there until services were over.  
She was attracted to the child  
tardiness.  
Dolle watched her arise from  
her seat, but in the crowd,  
she reached the open, however,  
she saw Alma standing in the  
of Walnut street shading her  
and looking up the street.  
Now it was Alma, I couldn't be-  
lieve it. I noticed her very closely,  
how exactly how she was dress-  
ed. Mrs. Dolle, "As I turned the  
and walked out Clay street to  
me, I saw her standing in the  
of the street before the church  
up the street as though she  
expecting somebody to come.  
I told Father Schumann about  
a week after the child disap-  
peared."

LADIES OF THE PRESBY-  
TERIAN CHURCH WILL SERVE  
DURING THE GUN SHOOT  
THE BUILDING LATELY OCCU-  
PIED BY NAYLOR'S BOOK STORE,  
IS FROM 7 TO 9 p. m.

Fulton Electric Light & Power  
was sold at auction Saturday.  
Hooks, of Clarksdale, Miss.,  
the highest bidder, the amount  
\$23,000.

Genevieve Campbell, of Clinton,  
Abraham B. Allen, of Union City,  
united in marriage at the home  
of the bride, Thursday.

A. Holcombe and family, of  
Lexington, Miss., are here visiting  
with Mr. C. A. Holcombe.

Mary Kelley, of Fulton, and  
Miss Ruth Ellison, of

## CLAY & CALDWELL BLACKSMITHS Woodworking and Horseshoeing A Specialty

Let us grind your plow points  
and make them good as new.

### LIVERYMEN ARE INCENSED BY COUNCIL'S NEW RULING.

The recent act of the City Coun-  
cil, decreeing that vehicles which are  
not in use must not stand on the  
streets, has but the liverymen up in  
arms. It has been a habit with the  
stable men to run their buggies out  
on the street, especially on Saturday,  
to make room in the barns for hitch-  
ing purposes. Friday morning Mar-  
shal Diller served notice on them, as  
well as others who were using the  
streets for various similar purposes.  
The liverymen put their buggies  
in their barns and followed this com-  
pliance with the law with a positive  
refusal to hitch or feed horses com-  
ing to the barn; consequently, any  
number of customers have been  
turned off since then. They say they  
have no room when their buggies are  
in the barn.

Just what the final result will be  
is not known.

It is said that a certain merchant  
wanted to put all his empty boxes  
on the back street. He was refused  
this privilege, and he contended he  
had as much right to use the street  
for a storeroom as the liverymen and  
others had to use it for idle vehi-  
cles. It was up to the Council—six  
of one and half a dozen of the other.  
Hence, the new ruling.

The present status of affairs is  
quite an inconvenience to farmers  
who need stable service. One coun-  
cilman thinks the action taken by  
some of the liverymen is merely for  
retaliation, and he will make an ef-  
fort to get ground and erect a large  
hitching shed that will be free for  
all.

You can't shoot through some steak  
sold in Hickman, but that is not the  
kind sold by the Hickman Grocery  
Co. If you want better meat, give  
them a trial; it costs 5 per cent less.

## An Able Jurist of the First District



JUDGE JNO. FELAND, OF HOPKINSVILLE, KY.

Who presided at the May term of Fulton Circuit Court

## Courier Want Column

RATES—One Cent per Word per Week  
Cash in Advance.

WANTED: Day boarders.—Mrs.  
Dee Reid.

DRESSMAKING: Mrs. Eula Sal-  
man, next to LaCade Hotel.

FOR SALE: Sweet Potato Slips—  
all kinds. H. L. Curdin, Woodland  
Mills, Tenn.

FOR RENT: 4 nice rooms over  
O. K. Barber Shop on Clinton street.  
—Harry Ellison.

FREE: A telephone directory of  
the Hickman Home Telephone Co.,  
by calling at this office.

FOR SALE: White Plymouth Rock

eggs for setting.—Mrs. A. K. McCon-  
nell, Hickman, Route 2. 33c.

Mrs. J. M. Park has rented, thor-  
oughly cleaned and newly furnished  
the Meyers' place in West Hickman  
and will furnish first-class board and  
nice clean rooms at reasonable prices.  
—2tp.

FOR SALE: One of Fulton coun-  
ty's best farms, five miles east of  
Hickman, on two public roads, switch  
and scales on corner. Liberal terms  
—very little cash wanted.—Mrs. C.  
V. McDaniel, State Line, Ky. 11c.

FOR SALE: 3 mares, 4 colts and  
3 sows and pigs.—J. H. Saunders 4p

Mrs. Ida Cox, of Aberdeen, Miss.;  
Mrs. Nora Burnett, of Corinth, Miss.;  
and O. B. Kindred, of Martin, who  
have been guests of W. H. Routen,  
left for their homes this morning.

## Amateur Leads First Day

King, of Colorado, Breaks 118  
Out of 120. Good Crowd  
in Attendance.

The preliminaries of the Big Shoot  
at Hickman commenced yesterday at  
1:30 with fifteen "squads" reporting.  
Among them were many of the best  
shooters in the United States. Prof.  
John Phillip Sousa and wife, of New  
York, are among the shooters. On-  
ly 120 targets were shot at. Messrs.  
A. M. Hatcher, Homer Clark, George  
Lyons were the high professionals,  
only dropping three, however, they  
were not high average, as E. R.  
King, amateur, of Denver, Colo., only  
dropped two. They were closely fol-  
lowed by Leslie, Bates, Ollie Williams,  
Bagerman and Dixon, with 117.

There are probably 150 out-of-town  
sportsmen on the grounds. Today  
the shoot begins proper. \$300 added  
money will make the days program  
an interesting one.

Pres. S. L. Dodds, assisted by the  
reception committee, is doing every-  
thing possible to show our visitors  
a good time. Those who could not  
get rooms at the hotels are being  
entertained in the homes of the city.  
A dozen or more autos have been  
placed at the disposal of the gun  
club, as were also a number of gaso-  
line launches. W. A. Hinshaw is  
running hourly excursions on the fer-  
ry between the city and the grounds  
and the U. D. C. is serving lunch  
there. Hundreds of local visitors  
many of them ladies are watching  
the sport. Weather conditions are  
ideal and some world's records are  
expected to be made on the Hickman  
field.

### LOCAL OPTION ELECTION IS CALLED.

County Judge W. A. Naylor Monday  
ordered an election to be held in  
Fulton on Thursday, July 21, to de-  
termine whether or not spiritual, vin-  
ous and malt liquors shall be sold  
in the city of Fulton and named  
July 15 as a special registration day.  
The election commissioners for the  
county will meet in Fulton on July  
5 for the purpose of naming the  
election officers.

As the matter now stands, there is  
no longer any doubt about the  
election being held and the two parties  
interested are preparing for a finish  
fight.

Miss Virginia Shumate left this  
morning for her home in Newbern,  
Tenn., after spending several days  
with her brother, C. P. Shumate, and  
wife.

Rev. M. L. Blaney, former pastor  
of the Christian Church, came in yes-  
terday from Dyersburg to spend a  
few days with friends.

THE RIVER: Rising, 31 feet on  
Cairo gauge. Indications are that  
the present water will reach 35 or 36  
feet, but not more.

Ed Wren, of the transportation de-  
partment of the N. C. & St. L., is  
here in a private car on business.

## Drug Store Conundrums

Is there any sense pay-  
ing more for your  
Drugs than we charge?

We do not think there is  
—we buy the best qualities  
the markets afford in Drugs  
and Drug Sundries and we  
buy in such quantities that  
we get the very best possi-  
ble prices. Any one may  
buy the same qualities we  
do, but it takes a big busi-  
ness to handle big quanti-  
ties—our big trade is re-  
cognized.

Helm & Ellison

### MRS. ELIZABETH SEAT DIES AT AGE OF 65.

Mrs. Elizabeth A. Seat died at her  
home in Crutchfield last Friday af-  
ternoon about 4 o'clock after a brief  
illness. Dropsy was the cause of her  
death.

Deceased was born at Nashville,  
Tenn., 65 years ago, but had been a  
resident of Fulton county for more  
than 42 years. Previous to her mar-  
riage, she was a Miss Matlock. Her  
many years she was a member  
Methodist church—a consociation, etc.  
voted, Christian lady. See Our Stock  
acquaintance was large. Up-to-date  
know her loved her. She was  
those tender sympathies which  
kindness and gentleness of spir-

Mrs. Seat is survived by  
children: Ex-Sheriff J. T. Seat,  
Lizzie Hicks, Logan Seat, Mrs.  
Finch, H. N., Sloop and Oscar Seat.  
Burial was had Saturday after-  
noon at Rock Springs, after brief  
conducting by Rev. McGill.

Miss Virginia Prather returned  
day from Paragould, Ark., who  
was bridesmaid at the wedding  
Miss Blanche Hall.

C. L. Walker and family, Miss Inez  
Parker, Miss Cecil Barnes and Miss  
Frankye Reid and Hollis Kirk spent  
Sunday at Three States, the guests  
of Alex Barnes and family.

Union City, Fulton and other neigh-  
boring cities are well represented at  
the big shoot today.

Mrs. Darby and daughter, of Flo-  
rence, Ala., are visiting her sister,  
Mrs. S. D. Luten.

Mrs. J. B. Housley and children  
are visiting in Nashville.

Dave Bryant is here from Union  
City.

W. K. Hall was here from Fulton  
Monday.

## Grand Clearing Sale of MILLINERY

Our Millinery Department overflowing with bargains.  
Saturday, the first day of the sale, a great success.

Pattern Hats, worth 12.00, for **6.98**  
Trimmed Hats, worth 8.00, for **4.98**  
Trimmed Hats, worth 5.50, for **3.48**  
Trimmed Hats, worth 4.00, for **2.48**



Trimmed Hats, worth 3.00, for **1.98**  
Trimmed Hats, worth 2.50, for **1.48**  
Children's Hats, worth 2.00, for **98c**  
Flowers  $\frac{1}{4}$  to  $\frac{1}{2}$  Off.

Sale Lasts All The Week

Come early and get choice of styles.

SMITH & AMBERG

## Watch This Space!

Chiffoniers	FOR	Chiffoniers
Bed Room Suits	WHAT	Dining Tables
Princess Dressers	YOU	Library Tables
Wardrobes	WANT	Stand Tables
China Closets	IN	Kitchen Tables
Sofas	Furniture	Center Tables
Sideboards		Pedestals
Sectional Bookcases		Etc., Etc.

Everything to be found in an up-to-date  
Furniture Store

HICKMAN FURNITURE CO., Kentucky  
—INCORPORATED—